# **FISCAL NOTE**

Bill #: SB0524 Title: Aggregate limits on federal tax and

mortgage interest income tax deductions

FY2001

**Primary** 

Sponsor: Dorothy Eck Status: As introduced

Sponsor signature Date Dave Lewis, Budget Director Date

FY2000

## **Fiscal Summary**

			<u>Difference</u>		<u>Difference</u>	
Expenditures: General Fund  Revenue: General Fund		\$15,000 \$0		\$0		
				\$38,362,000		
Net I	<b>Impact</b>	on General Fund Balance:	(\$15,000)		\$38,362,000	
Yes	No X	Significant Local Gov. Impact	Yes	No X	Technical Concerns	
	X	Included in the Executive Budget	X X		Significant Long- Term Impacts	

## **Fiscal Analysis**

#### **ASSUMPTIONS:**

- 1. This proposal applies to tax years beginning after December 31, 1999 (tax year 2000). There is no impact from this proposal in FY2000; the first full-year impact is felt in FY2001.
- 2. Under this proposal, individual income tax filers who file as married couples filing jointly or as heads of households would be allowed a total combined itemized deduction for federal income taxes paid and home mortgage interest not to exceed \$40,000. All other filers would be allowed a total combined itemized deduction for federal income taxes paid and home mortgage interest not to exceed \$20,000.
- 3. Based on Department of Revenue computer simulation programs using a sample of tax year 1997 individual income tax returns, this proposal would increase the tax liability of *full-year resident* individual income tax filers by \$36,000,000 in tax year 2000. This will result in an increase in revenue to the state general fund of a like amount for FY2001.

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4. Including *all filers* increases the total revenue impact for full-year residents by a factor of 1.0656. This increases the impact on state general fund revenues to \$38,362,000.

#### **Administrative Impacts**

5. This proposal would require modifications to the individual income tax form and instructions. Computer programming costs associated with these modifications would be \$12,000 for additional programmer time, and \$3,000 for additional Department of Administration computer processing time, for a total increase in admin costs of \$15,000 in FY2000.

FISCAL IMPACT:	FY2000	FY2001
	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Expenditures:		
Operating Expenses	\$15,000	\$0
<u>Funding:</u>		
General Fund (01)	\$15,000	\$0
Revenues:		
General Fund (01)	\$0	\$38,362,000
Net Impact to Fund Balance (Reven	<u>ue minus Expenditure):</u>	
General Fund (01)	(\$15,000)	\$38,362,000

#### LONG-RANGE IMPACTS:

This proposal will increase revenue to the state general fund by an amount that gradually increases each year from the \$38,362,000 identified for FY2001.